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SUBJECT: CONFIRMATION OF ZIAUR RAHMAN'S CONTROL

1. MAHBULE ALAM CHASHI CALLED AMBASSADOR AT 0630 HOURS THIS MORNING, NOVEMBER 7, TO SAY THAT, AS WE KNEW, GENERAL ZIAUR RAHMAN HAS TAKEN CHARGE AS MARTIAL LAW ADMINISTRATOR. HE SAID THE FIGHTING WAS OVER, THE FORCES OF ZIAUR RAHMAN WERE IN COMPLETE CONTROL OF THE CITY, AND THE FIRINGS TO BE HEAD NOW WERE CELEBRATORY.

2. CHASHI ALSO SAID THAT KHANDAKER MOSHTAQUDUAHMED HAS BEEN TAKEN TO THE RADIO STATION WHERE HE WAS CONSULTING WITH FORCES LOYAL TO ZIAUR WHO WERE ASKING HIM TO RESUME THE PRESIDENCY. HE HAD NOT YET REACHED A DECISION.

3. HE ADDED THAT, IN VIEW OF THIS SITUATION, THERE WOULD BE REPERCUSSIONS AMONG OTHER COUNTRIES, AND THEREFORE WANTED US TO BE INFORMED.

4. DEPARTMENT MAY PASS AS DESIRED.
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